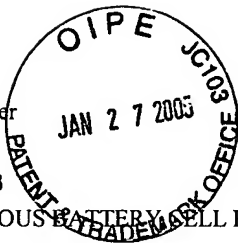


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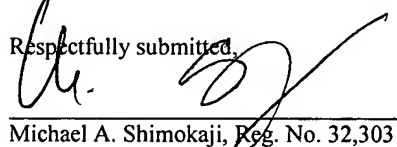
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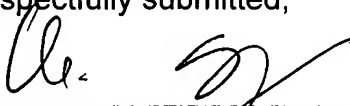
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Applicant thanks the Examiner for the allowance of claims.

Notwithstanding the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance, Applicant notes that the allowed claims contain different elements and consequently are of differing scope. Also, the allowed claims are a combination of elements, of which some elements may be old and some may be new. In any event, a single element in a combination of elements does not determine patentability, but rather the combination.

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